

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

**Please insert the following after page 3, line 28:**

Fig. 1 is a block diagram illustrating the transactional recovery system of an exemplary embodiment of the present invention.

Fig. 2 is a block diagram illustrating the transactional recovery system of another exemplary embodiment of the present invention.

**Please replace page 1, lines 10-16 with the following amended paragraph:**

~~A supplier~~An initiator (client of the service) sends information by addressing a specific channel. The channel transfers the information to the client via its interface. The channel acts as an intermediary between ~~two consumers~~an initiator and a consumer and decouples information transmission at both ends. It must be possible to deliver information reliably while maintaining desynchronization of ~~suppliers~~initiators and consumers.